PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF SOUTH CAROLINA

DOCKETING DEPARTMENT

NOTICE OF FILING AND HEARING

DOCKET NO. 2007-258-C

Mobilitie, LLC ("Mobilitie" or "Applicant") has filed an Application with the Public Service Commission of South Carolina ("Commission") for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to provide facilities-based local exchange and interexchange telecommunications service throughout the State of South Carolina, pursuant to S.C. Code Ann. § 58-9-280 and Section 253 of the Telecommunications Act of 1996. More specifically, Mobilitie proposes to offer facilities-based interexchange and local transport services to customers throughout the geographic territory of South Carolina. In addition, Mobilitie seeks authority to provide radio frequency ("RF") or optical transport and backhaul services for voice and data service providers. According to its Application, Mobilitie will provide its service using transport and backhaul linked by fiber optic cables or wireless RF systems with conversion equipment attached to poles and other structures. Mobilitie requests that the Commission regulate its local exchange service in accordance with the principles established for flexible regulation by Order No. 98-165 in Docket No. 97-467-C.

A copy of the Application is on file in the offices of the Commission, 101 Executive Center Drive, Columbia, South Carolina 29210, the Commission's website at www.psc.sc.gov, and is available from John J. Pringle, Jr., Esquire, Ellis, Lawhorne & Sims, P.A., P.O. Box 2285, Columbia, South Carolina, 29202.

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE a hearing on the above matter has been scheduled to begin at **10:00 a.m. on Monday, October 1, 2007,** before Hearing Examiner David Butler, Esquire in the Commission's Law Library at 101 Executive Center Drive, Saluda Building, Columbia, South Carolina 29210.

PLEASE BE ADVISED that pursuant to South Carolina Code of Laws – Section 58-9-280, as amended, the Commission will invoke the 120-day period allowed for consideration of this matter.

Any person who wishes to participate in this matter, as a party of record with the right of cross-examination, should file a Petition to Intervene in accordance with the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure on or before **August 16, 2007**, and indicate the amount of time required for his presentation. Please include an email address for receipt of future Commission correspondence in the Petition to Intervene. *Please refer to Docket No. 2007-258-C.*

Any person who wishes to testify and present evidence at the hearing, should notify the Docketing Department, in writing, at the address below, the Office of Regulatory Staff at Post Office Box 11263, Columbia, South Carolina 29211, and John J. Pringle, Jr., Esquire, at the above address, on or before **August 16, 2007,** and indicate the amount of time required for his presentation. *Please refer to Docket No. 2007-258-C.*

Any person who wishes to be notified of any change in the hearing, but does not wish to present testimony or be a party of record, may do so by notifying the Docketing Department, in writing, at the address below on or before **August 16**, **2007**. *Please refer to Docket No. 2007-258-C*.

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE: Any person who wishes to have his or her comments considered as part of the official record of this proceeding <u>MUST</u> present such comments, in person, to the Commission during the hearing.

Persons seeking information about the Commission's Procedures should contact the Commission at (803) 896-5100.

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